

EXPERTS DELAY PROPOSED VISIT TO LOCAL OFFICE

Post-Office Department
Committee Soon Will
Fix Dates.

FINISH WORK IN GEORGIA CITIES

Nephew of Congressman Saunders
Discovers Origin of Infantile
Paralysis—Woman Suf-
fragists, Headed by Dr.
Shaw, Plan Invasion of
South in Private Car.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Washington, February 21.—The com-
mittee of experts of the Post-Office De-
partment, which has been detailed to
visit the larger post-offices of the coun-
try to investigate and thoroughly re-
organize them, placing them on a new
working system, has been so occupied
with preparing the reports on the in-
vestigations which it made of the
Atlanta and Savannah offices that the
proposed visit to the Richmond office
has been delayed far beyond the ex-
pected time.

The Atlanta and Savannah reports
were submitted to Postmaster-General
Burleson to-day, and it is expected on
Monday announcement will be made of
the date the committee will visit
Richmond, which will probably be to-
wards the end of next week.
Dr. Edward W. Saunders, formerly of
Campbell County, now of St. Louis,
nephew of Congressman Saunders, held
a long conference to-day with Surgeon
General Rupert Blue, regarding his dis-
covery of the origin of infantile paral-
ysis, which he states results from the
bite of a species of fly. Surgeon-
General Blue has detailed an expert of
the Public Health Service to collab-
orate with Dr. Saunders, at the chil-
dren's hospital conducted by him in St.
Louis. Dr. Saunders delivered an ad-
dress on the subject at the University
of Virginia on Friday night.

Montague at Trustee Meeting.
Congressman Montague attended an
executive meeting to-day of the Car-
negie Endowment Society for Interna-
tional Peace, of which he is one of the
trustees. He attended a dinner given
by the society to-night in honor of
Dr. Shoshuke Sato, Japanese exchange
professor to the United States.

Congressman Hail Flood went to Phil-
adelphia this afternoon to make an
address on "Peace" before the Society
of the Cincinnati to-night.

Congressman Montague has been
placed on a subcommittee of
House Committee on Interstate and
Foreign Commerce, which is drafting
the bill to establish the Interstate
trade commission. This is one of the
five bills known as the "Five Brothers"
to regulate big business.

The nomination of Joseph I. Bland
as postmaster at West Point, A. N.
Cocks, at Disputanta, and G. H. Kinzel
at Winchester have been confirmed
by the Senate, and their commissions
will be forwarded them on Monday.

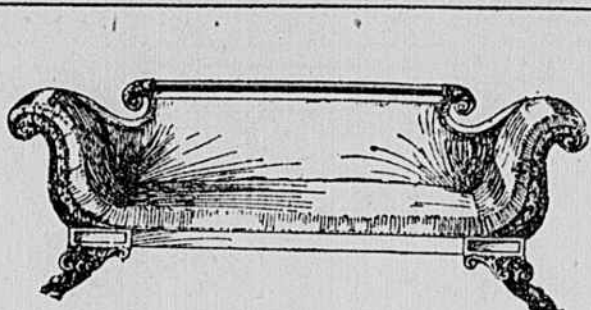
Suffragists to Visit South.
Woman suffragists are going to in-
vade the South in a private car. Dr.
Anna Howard Shaw, notwithstanding
the accident that happened to her a
week ago, is going to take the road
and make a number of speeches in the
Southern States.

Dr. Shaw once before, when suffer-
ing on account of a similar accident,
made a campaign in Texas with her
ankle in a plaster cast, and she is
going to do the same now, if neces-
sary. The date at New Orleans, which
was fixed for March 3, had to be aban-
doned, but it is possible that Dr. Shaw
and her party will reach there at a
later date. Arrangements have been
made for a meeting at Charleston, S.
C., where several speeches are to be
made.

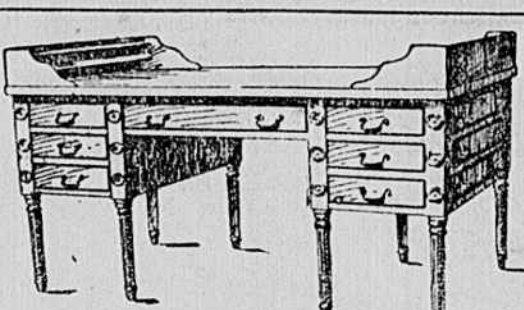
The most important meeting of all
will be at Birmingham, Ala., where a
large woman suffrage conference is to
be held on March 9 and 10. The suf-
fragists say that this meeting will be
especially interesting. In view of the
prominent part Representative Under-
wood played in defeating the resolution
for a woman suffrage committee, Mr.
Underwood is expected to be one of the
congressional members of the Na-
tional American Woman Suffrage As-
sociation, that he does not want woman
suffrage in Alabama. The women
who are going to invade the South
and make speeches for suffrage



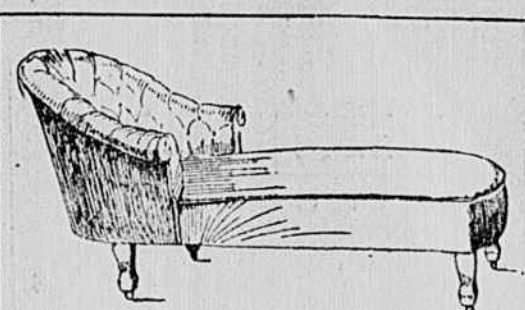
Rocking Chairs, \$5 to \$25



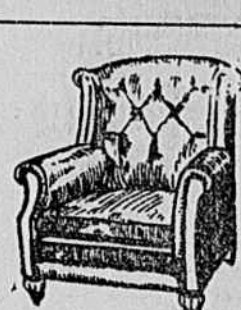
Handsome Parlor Pieces, \$50 to \$150.



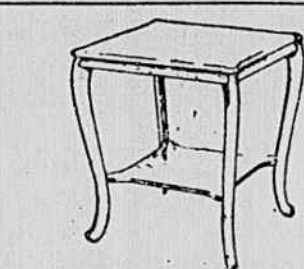
Solid Mahogany Desks, \$45 to \$145.



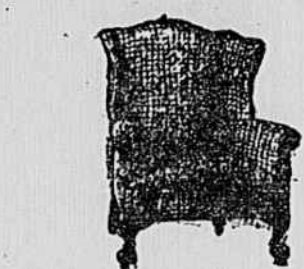
Reading Chair Couch, price, \$55.



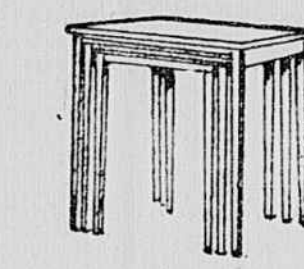
Leather Chairs and
Rockers, \$29 to \$75.



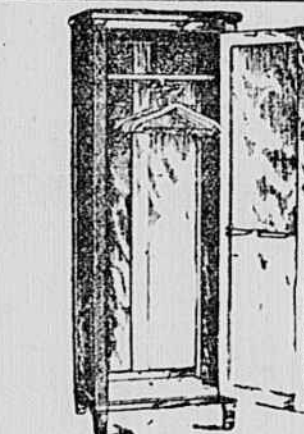
Small Tables, \$5 to \$15.



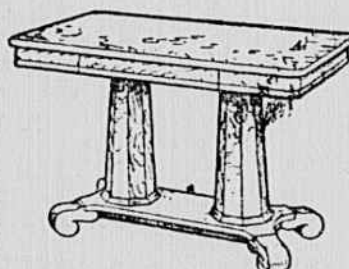
Fireside Wing Chairs,
\$27.50 to \$45.00.



Nest of Tables, Oak and Ma-
hogany, \$10 to \$35.



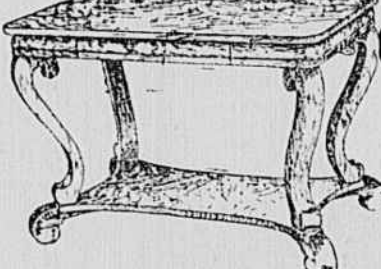
Wardrobes, \$10 to \$150.



Swing Top Tables, folding leaf,
\$22 to \$50.



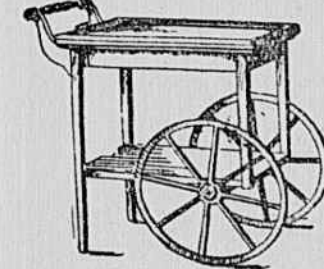
Ladies' Desks, \$10 to \$40.



Handsome Library Tables,
\$25 to \$90.



Handsome Desks, \$50 to \$150.



English Tea Carts, with glass
tray, \$19.50 to \$25.

SYDNOR & HUNDLEY'S Great Exhibit of House and Office Furniture

We extend to all visiting merchants and their families a most cordial invitation to make our store their headquarters for meeting, resting, writing, etc., during the

Spring Trade Week, March 3d to 6th

One of the sights of Richmond and of the whole South is this largest modern furniture store. In the same block with Murphy's Hotel, within three blocks of the Capitol square, City Hall, Richmond Hotel, Rueger's, the Academy of Music and theatres, and the converging point of all street car lines. All information and attention possible will be cheerfully and cordially offered.

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Arm Chairs.
Breakfast Tables.
Brass or Wood Costumers.
Baby Carriages.
Bed Davenport.
Bedroom Chairs.
Rockers.
Bookcases.
Children's Chairs, Rockers and
High Chairs.
China Cabinets.
Couches.
Coat Trees.
Card and Game Tables.
Cedar Chests.
Console Tables.
Cellarettes.
Cheval Mirrors.
Children's Cribs.
Curio Cabinets.

Desk or Reception Chairs.
Dinner Wagons.
Davenport.
Dressing Tables.
Dressing Table Chairs.
Decorative Art Goods.
Easy Chairs and Rockers.
Fancy Chairs and Rockers.
Fancy Tables and Stands.
Folding Top Card Tables.
Gentlemen's Wardrobes.
Hall Clocks.
Hall Mirrors.
Hall Tables.
Hall Settees.
Library Tables.
Ladies' Desks.
Leather Pillows.
Leather Hides for Table Throws.
Magazine Stands.

Mahogany Chairs and Rockers,
with leather or upholstered
seat.
Morris Chair Cushions.
Mantel Clocks.
Nests of Tables.
Overstuffed Lounging and Read-
ing Chairs.
Portable High Chairs.
Pedestals.
Plain Mirrors.
Parlor and Living-Room Cabinets.
Reed and Crex Furniture—Chairs,
Rockers, Davenport, Tables
and other pieces.
Rugs.
Revolving Top Game Tables.
Screens.
Sewing Rockers.
Sewing Tables.
Smokers' Stands.

Sectional Bookcases.
Serving Tables.
Storage Chiffoniers.
Serving Trays.
Tabourettes.
Turkish Chairs and Rockers of
leather.
Tea Wagons.
Tea Tables.
Tilting Top Card Tables.
Telephone Stands and Stools.
Umbrella Stands.
Vanity Toilets.
Work Tables.
Wheel Chairs for invalids.
Writing Tables.
Writing Desks.
Waste Baskets.
Youths' Chairs—and hundreds of
other articles.

NEWS OF SOUTH RICHMOND

DEFENDANT WINS SUIT

Jury Holds Briggs Not at Fault in Ac-
cident With Samuel Register.

Holding that there was no action for
damages, a jury yesterday, in Hust-
ings Court, Part II, awarded a ver-
dict for the defendant in the suit of
Samuel Register against Archie K.
Briggs. A motion to set aside the ver-
dict as contrary to law and evidence
was made by the plaintiff's counsel,
and the matter was taken under con-
sideration by Judge Ernest H. Wells.
Damage in the sum of \$2,500 was
asked because Briggs ran into the
plaintiff's automobile in Henrico
County.

Many witnesses were examined at
the trial, which began on Friday morn-
ing. In the testimony the whole

structure of an automobile was gone
into. Robert Scott represented the de-
fendant, Allen G. Collins appeared
for the plaintiff. Briggs claimed that
he was not at fault in the accident, be-
cause the Register car was moved from
its original position in the road when
he struck it.

Suit against the city of Richmond for
\$5,000 by Naomi E. Pearson for al-
leged injuries sustained in falling over
a large rock on Eighth Street, Fulton,
will begin to-morrow. The plaintiff
claims that the city allowed the street
to be kept in a dangerous condition.

Burned by Stove.

Mrs. John S. Robinson, of 1100 De-
catur Street, was badly burned at 11:30
o'clock yesterday morning, when her
clothing caught fire from an open in-
cense stove. In trying to extinguish
the flames, her daughter, Miss Alma
Robinson, was burned about the arms.
Mrs. Robinson was cleaning in the
room and had her back to the stove.
Her dress ignited, and in an instant
was a mass of flames.

Dr. E. G. Hill and Dr. S. J. Baker
were summoned, and administered
treatment. She was burned on her
arms and from her waist down. Her
condition was said to be serious.

Leaves for Academy.

J. Goff Long, of 1716 Buchanan
Street, brother of Rev. Frank W. Long,
pastor of Cowardin Avenue Christian
Church, left yesterday for Livingston
Academy, in Tennessee, where he will
be professor of Latin and physical di-
rector.

Mr. Long graduated from
Bethany College last year, and was a
member of the baseball team.

Funeral of Mr. Walker.

The funeral services of B. J. Walker,
seventy-eight years old, of 2707 Semmes
Avenue, Woodland Heights, who died
yesterday morning at 4:20 o'clock in
the Johnston-Willis Hospital, will be
held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from
Ashbury Methodist Church. Rev. J. E.
Engelston will conduct the services.
The burial will be in Maury Cemetery.

Mr. Walker, who was well known on
the Southside, served throughout the
Civil War in the Confederate service.
He is survived by two children, John
E. and Miss Mattie E. Walker.

Looking for Robbers.
Police of the Third Station were yes-
terday searching for the two men who
broke into the Elkie general merchan-
dise store, at Twentieth and Bain-
bridge Street, about 12:30 o'clock yes-
terday morning, and stole a quantity of
goods. They were tried to drop their
plunder when seen by the storekeeper,
who summoned the police. Patrolmen
Sharp and Westcott chased them, but
they escaped in an alley.

To-Day in Southside Churches.
"The Secret of the Untroubled Heart"
will be the subject of the sermon to be
preached by Rev. Wesley Baker this
morning in Porter Street Presbyterian
Church. To-night he will preach on
"The Narrow Door."

Rev. R. M. White will conduct both

BACKACHE A WARNING YOU SHOULD HEED

It is One of the First Signs of
Kidney Troubles; if Neglect-
ed, Serious Diseases
Follow.

No one can be well and healthy un-
less the kidneys work properly and
keep the blood pure. When they be-
come clogged up and inactive, nature
has a way of warning you.

Backache is one of the first symp-
toms. You may also be troubled with
disagreeable, annoying bladder disor-
ders; have attacks of lumbago or rheu-
matism; become nervous, tired, and
feel all worn-out; puffy swellings show
under the eyes or in the face and
ankles; and many other symptoms are
noticed. If they are neglected, dropsy,
diabetes or Bright's disease, which so
often prove fatal, may result.

There is no more dangerous, but need-
less, for you to suffer and endure the
torments of these troubles, for the new
discovery, Croxone, quickly and surely
ends all such misery.

You can secure an original package
of Croxone at trifling cost from any
first-class drug store. All druggists
are authorized to personally return the
purchase price if Croxone should fail
in a single case. Three doses a day
for a few days is often all that is ever
needed to cure the worst backache, re-
lieve rheumatic pains, or overcome ur-
inary disorders.—Advertisement.

There is no more effective remedy
known for the prompt cure of all such
troubles than this new, scientific prepa-
ration, because it removes the cause.
It soaks right into the kidneys, through
the walls and linings; cleans out the
clogged up pores; neutralizes and dis-
solves the poisonous uric acid and
waste matter that lodge in the joints
and muscles and cause those terrible
rheumatic pains, and makes the kid-
neys filter and sift the poison out of
the blood and drive it from the system.

You will find Croxone different from
all other remedies. There is nothing
else on earth like it. It is so prepared
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GENERAL NEWS NOTES

Henry Ridgely Evans, of the De-
partment of the Interior, will deliver
an address on "The Symbols of
Masonry" at the Masonic Temple to-
morrow night at 8 o'clock.

George W. Bahlke, who recently
moved to Baltimore, is in the city on a
visit to his family, who will join him
later in Baltimore.

Governor Stuart has designated Judge
George S. Shackelford, of Orange, to
hold court in Henry County on April 6,
at which time the Martinsville annexa-
tion case will be heard.

Mrs. J. J. Stallings, of Barton
Heights, who has been at the Retreat
for the Sick for the past month, re-
covering from an operation, will re-
turn to her home to-day.

Mrs. Frederick Schott, president of
the National Congress of Mothers' Clubs and the Parent Teachers' As-
sociation, will address the Parent
Teachers' Association of the William F.
Fox School in the school auditorium on
Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The
public is invited.

Mrs. John Lindsay, who was operated
on at St. Luke's Hospital ten days ago,
is rapidly recovering, and will shortly
return home.

Nannie Lewis and Bushrod Lewis,
who were injured on Friday night
when the carriage in which they were
riding was struck by a car on the
Westhampton line, are improving at
their home, 3115 Floyd Avenue.

Samuel Cohen left the city last night
for Florida, where he will spend a few
days.

The B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist
Church will meet in the church parlors
to-night at 7 o'clock. Miss Edith
Gathright is leader for the evening.

The tenth anniversary of the fellow-
ship league of the Y. M. C. A. will be
celebrated with a dinner on Thursday
night. The principal address will be
delivered by State Senator Mapp.

Rev. J. W. Michaels, evangelist to the

CHATHAM

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Chatham, Va., February 21.—L. C. Dodson
is recovering from a spell of grip. His
little daughter, Edna, after a severe spell
of pneumonia, is improving slowly.
The series of meetings at the Baptist
Church ended on Sunday night, at which
time the doors of the church were opened
and several joined.
Mrs. J. P. Hunt and daughter, Mrs. L.
C. Womack, recently returned from visit-
ing Mrs. Frank Epperson, in Birmingham.
J. H. Hargrave, Sr., sustained a fall this
week from which he has been confined to
his room.

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fectively. Something that many phy-
sicians at the famous Hot Springs, Ark.,
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waters.

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constipation, upset stomach, headache,
nervousness, or are nervous, irritable or de-
pendent, get a 25-cent box of Little
Chocolate Coated HOT SPRINGS LIVER
BUTTONS to-day. Take them as di-
rected, and soon all misery and distress
will vanish and you will be cheerful,
happy and full of ambition again.

They are great blood purifiers also;
they drive away pimples, blotches and
sallowiness from the skin in a few days,
do away with bad breath and bring
brightness to the eyes.

For old, young and middle-aged peo-
ple they are the best and most blissful
constipation remedy known. All drug-
gists, 25c. Free sample from Hot
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Brussels Sprouts, 25c; dozen \$2.75

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Lemon Cling Peaches, extra
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Bartlett Pears 25c
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White Cherries 25c
Egg Plums 25c
Green Gages 25c

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California Ripe Olives, per
jar 35c-65c
California Minced Ripe Olives,
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Olives stuffed with pepper 30c
Olives stuffed with pepper and
olives 30c
Olives stuffed with celery 30c
Olives stuffed with almonds 30c

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